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# Sexually Transmitted Diseases Monthly Report for Nashville/Davidson County

STD/HIV Intervention and Prevention Program of Metro Public Health Department



# **Summary of Reported Cases June 2012**

Note: Data are provisional as of September 17, 2012. Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole number.

There were 459 cases of chlamydia, gonorrhea and syphilis\* reported; a 12.8% increase from May 2012.

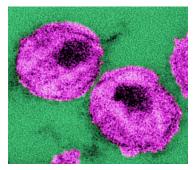
65% of chlamydia cases and

47% of gonorrhea cases were among persons ages 15-24 years. The median age of reported syphilis\* cases was 34 years.

75% of chlamydia and primary and secondary syphilis cases were diagnosed by Private MD/ HMO; 28% of gonorrhea cases were diagnosed in STD clinics. For the Year to Date (June 2012), 4% of persons reported with an STD were co-infected with HIV. 73% were diagnosed with HIV/AIDS at least 1 year prior to current STD exposure, and 10% were concurrently diagnosed.

# MPHD STD/HIV Program Data: June 2012

Picture: Thin-section Transmission Electron Microscopy of HIV viruses. From CDC/ A. Harrison; Dr. P. Feorino



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STD data for 1998-2010

1,644 patients made 1,827 visits, receiving an average of 3.7 (median of 2.0) services per visit in the STD Clinic. There were 6,683 procedures for these clients. We diagnosed 77 chlamydia cases, 29 gonorrhea cases, and 11 syphilis\* cases (6 primary & secondary, 1 early latent, 4 latent & late latent).

91 patients received services through STD Outreach. There were 399 procedures for these clients. We diagnosed 2 chlamydia, 1 gonorrhea, and 0 syphilis cases.

823 people received 1,646 services at the jail.

We conducted 624 RPRs (syphilis tests), 1,256 HIV tests, and 650 GenProbes (tests for chlamydia and gonorrhea).

\* Not including congenital and neurosyphilis cases.

### MPHD HIV Testing Summary

|                           | Number<br>Tested | Number Newly<br>Reported<br>Positives |                        | Number<br>Tested | Number Newly<br>Reported<br>Positives |
|---------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------------|
| TOTAL                     | 1,256            | 12                                    | Hispanic               | 85               | 0                                     |
| Male                      | 877              | 11                                    | NH Black               | 644              | 8                                     |
| Female                    | 379              | 1                                     | NH White               | 506              | 4                                     |
| Transgender               | 0                | 0                                     | Other                  | 0                | 0                                     |
| Native American           | 0                | 0                                     | Unknown                | 15               | 0                                     |
| NH Asian/Pacific Islander | 15               | 0                                     | Local sero-positive ra | te               | 1.0%                                  |

| Reported STD Morbidity, 2012 Davidson County, TN June1-June 30 | <b>Reported STD Morbidity.</b> | <b>2012 Davidson County</b> | v. TN June1-June 30 |
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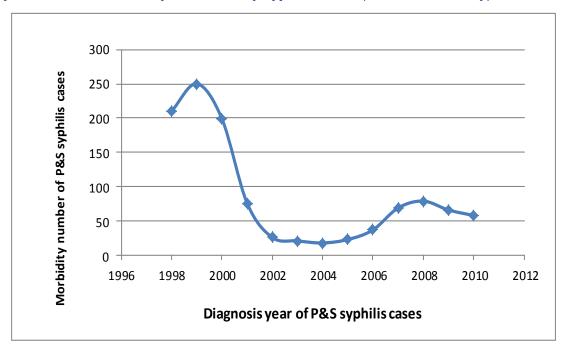
| Disease                                 | June<br>2012 | June<br>2011 | Percent change | Year to Date<br>2012 | Year to Date<br>2011 | Percent change |
|---|--------------|--------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------|
| Chlamydia                               | 330          | 313          | 5.4%           | 1838                 | 2,000                | -18.1%         |
| Gonorrhea                               | 104          | 115          | -9.6%          | 634                  | 593                  | 6.9%           |
| Syphilis, Total                         | 25           | 10           | 150.0%         | 120                  | 87                   | 37.9%          |
| Early Syphilis                          | 10           | 6            | 66.7%          | 61                   | 50                   | 22.0%          |
| Syphilis, P&S                           | 6            | 3            | 100.0%         | 41                   | 32                   | 28.1%          |
| Syphilis, Early Latent                  | 4            | 3            | 33.3%          | 20                   | 18                   | 11.1%          |
| Latent & LL <sup>1</sup>                | 15           | 3            | 400.0%         | 57                   | 36                   | 58.3%          |
| Congenital & Neurosyphilis <sup>2</sup> | 0            | 1            | -100.0%        | 2                    | 1                    | 100.0%         |
| Total Reported                          | 459          | 438          | 4.8%           | 2,592                | 2,680                | -3.3%          |

Note: Data are subject to change due to updates and upon validation by the Tennessee Department of Health.

Source: PRISM (Patient Reporting Investigation Surveillance Manager) as of September 17, 2012.

- 1. Including Latent syphilis (of unknown duration), Late Latent syphilis, and late syphilis with symptomatic manifestations.
- 2. Including congenital syphilis and neurosyphilis.

# Yearly Case Count of Primary & Secondary Syphilis Cases, Davidson County, TN:1998-2010



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# Reported Sexually Transmitted Diseases, Davidson County, TN 1998-2010

|      | Chlan | nydia | Gonor | rhea  | Syphilis       |      |              |      |            |      |                      |      |     |      |
|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------|------|--------------|------|------------|------|----------------------|------|-----|------|
|      |       |       |       |       | All Stages P&S |      | Early Latent |      | Congenital |      | Latent & Late Latent |      |     |      |
| Year | No.   | Rate  | No.   | Rate  | No.            | Rate | No.          | Rate | No.        | Rate | No.                  | Rate | No. | Rate |
| 1998 | 1,981 | 349.9 | 1,777 | 313.9 | 416            | 73.5 | 210          | 28.3 | 148        | 26.1 | 0                    | 0    | 58  | 10.2 |
| 1999 | 2,202 | 388.2 | 1,785 | 314.7 | 506            | 89.2 | 250          | 28.9 | 202        | 35.6 | 0                    | 0    | 54  | 9.5  |
| 2000 | 2,403 | 421.7 | 2,404 | 421.8 | 522            | 91.6 | 200          | 35.1 | 173        | 30.4 | 4                    |      | 145 | 25.4 |
| 2001 | 2,086 | 365.2 | 1,625 | 284.5 | 380            | 66.5 | 76           | 13.3 | 137        | 24.0 | 5                    |      | 162 | 28.4 |
| 2002 | 2,157 | 379.1 | 1,409 | 247.6 | 294            | 51.7 | 26           | 4.6  | 109        | 19.2 | 5                    |      | 154 | 27.1 |
| 2003 | 2,653 | 466.2 | 1,492 | 262.2 | 195            | 34.3 | 21           | 3.7  | 25         | 4.4  | 0                    | 0    | 149 | 26.2 |
| 2004 | 2,664 | 466.4 | 1,221 | 213.8 | 164            | 28.7 | 15           | 2.6  | 22         | 3.9  | 3                    |      | 124 | 21.7 |
| 2005 | 2,819 | 490.8 | 1,116 | 194.3 | 144            | 25.1 | 24           | 4.2  | 21         | 3.7  | 0                    | 0    | 99  | 17.2 |
| 2006 | 2,978 | 514.6 | 1,311 | 226.5 | 166            | 28.7 | 34           | 5.9  | 36         | 6.2  | 0                    | 0    | 96  | 16.6 |
| 2007 | 3,038 | 521.5 | 1,290 | 221.5 | 206            | 35.4 | 71           | 12.2 | 41         | 7.0  | 0                    | 0    | 94  | 16.1 |
| 2008 | 3,526 | 561.3 | 1,124 | 178.9 | 240            | 38.2 | 79           | 12.6 | 46         | 7.3  | 0                    | 0    | 115 | 18.5 |
| 2009 | 3,569 | 561.4 | 847   | 133.2 | 246            | 38.6 | 66           | 10.4 | 58         | 9.1  | 1                    | 0.2  | 121 | 19.0 |
| 2010 | 3,471 | 559.3 | 960   | 154.7 | 198            | 31.9 | 58           | 9.3  | 53         | 8.5  | 0                    | 0    | 87  | 14.0 |

Data Source: 1998-2005 case counts from NETSS (National Electronic Telecommunications System for Surveillance), Tennessee Department of Health, HIV/AIDS/STD Surveillance and Data Management; 2006-2010 case counts from PRISM (Patient Reporting Investigation Surveillance Manager), Metro Public Health Department.

Rates per 100,000 population.

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We're on the web! http://health.nashville.gov/ HealthData The STD/HIV clinic at Metro Public Health Department is located at:

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### **Clinic Hours**

Monday-Friday

8:00 AM – 4:30 PM, patient cut-off: 3:30 PM,

Walk-in service is provided.

The cost for:

STD examination and treatment is \$10;

HIV and syphilis tests are free;

All services for Youth aged 13-17 years are free.

All services are confidential.

### Do You Know — STDs, HIV/AIDS, and TB are interconnected?

Having an STD does not necessarily mean that the infected person also has HIV infection. However, continuing the risky behavior that led to STD infection may increase the likelihood of eventually becoming infected with HIV.

HIV weakens the immune system; TB thrives in a weakened immune system. Thus, each disease speeds the other's progress. TB is a leading cause of death among people who are HIV-positive.

(Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)